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TITLE: FLOAT TUBE COVER

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NEW APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of

Inventor(s): Linda J. Wittenrich

for: FLOAT TUBE COVER

This new application is for a(n)

- ☒ Original Utility
- ☐ Design
- ☐ Plant
- ☐ Divisional
- ☐ Continuation
- ☐ Continuation-in-part

Enclosed are:

- 4 Pages of specification
- 1 Pages of claims
- 1 Pages of abstract
- 1 Sheets of drawings
  - ☐ formal
  - ☒ informal

Additional papers enclosed:

- ☐ Information Disclosure Statement
- ☒ Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney
- ☐ Assignment of the invention to \_\_\_\_\_

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- ☒ the same
- ☐ are not the same. An explanation, including the ownership of the various claims at the time the last claimed invention was made,
  - ☐ is submitted
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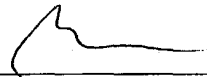
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